# BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:	Case No. 3113
JAMILA KILLINGSWORTH 2807 Roosevelt Avenue Richmond, CA 94804	OAH No. N2007120567
Pharmacy Technician	

Registration No. TCH 50820

Respondent.

#### **DECISION AND ORDER**

The attached Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby adopted by the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs, as its Decision in this matter.

This Decision shall become effective on May 9, 2008

It is so ORDERED April 10, 2008

BOARD OF PHARMACY
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

By WILLIAM POWERS

Board President

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11	JAMILA KILLINGSWORTH OAH No. N2007120567	
12	2807 Roosevelt Avenue Richmond, CA 94804 STIPULATED SURRENDER OF	
13	Pharmacy Technician  Pharmacy Technician	
14	Registration No. TCH 50820	
15	Respondent.	
16	In the interest of a prompt and speedy resolution of this matter, consistent with the	
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18	the parties hereby agree to the following Stipulated Surrender of License and Order which will be	
19	submitted to the Board for approval and adoption as the final disposition of the Accusation.	
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21	<u>PARTIES</u>	
22	1. Virginia Herold (Complainant) is the Executive Officer of the Board of	
23	Pharmacy (Board). She brought this action solely in her official capacity and is represented in	
24	this matter by Edmund G. Brown Jr., Attorney General of the State of California, by Joshua A.	
25	Room, Deputy Attorney General.	
26	2. Jamila Killingsworth (Respondent) is representing herself in this	
27	proceeding and has chosen not to exercise her right to be represented by counsel.	

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3. On or about October 1, 2003, the Board of Pharmacy issued Pharmacy Technician Registration Number TCH 50820 to Jamila Z. Killingsworth (Respondent). The Pharmacy Technician Registration was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought in Accusation No. 3113 and will expire on November 30, 2008, unless renewed.

#### **JURISDICTION**

4. Accusation No. 3113 was filed before the Board of Pharmacy (Board), Department of Consumer Affairs, and is currently pending against Respondent. The Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly served on Respondent on October 15, 2007. Respondent timely filed her Notice of Defense contesting the Accusation. On or about January 22, 2008, a First Amended Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly served on Respondent. A copy of First Amended Accusation No. 3113 is attached as exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

#### ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS

- 5. Respondent has carefully read, and understands the charges and allegations in First Amended Accusation No. 3113. Respondent also has carefully read, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order.
- 6. Respondent is fully aware of her legal rights in this matter, including the right to a hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to be represented by counsel, at her own expense; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against her; the right to present evidence and to testify on her own behalf; the right to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents; the right to reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other rights accorded by the California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.
- 7. Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and every right set forth above.

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#### **CULPABILITY**

- 8. Respondent admits the truth of each and every charge and allegation in First Amended Accusation No. 3113, agrees cause exists for discipline and hereby surrenders her Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH 50820 for the Board's formal acceptance.
- 9. Respondent understands that by signing this stipulation she enables the Board to issue an order accepting the surrender of her Registration without further process.
- Respondent understands and agrees that counsel for Complainant and the staff of the Board may communicate directly with the Board regarding this stipulation and surrender, without notice to or participation by Respondent. By signing the stipulation, Respondent understands and agrees that he may not withdraw his agreement or seek to rescind the stipulation prior to the time the Board considers and acts upon it. If the Board fails to adopt this stipulation as its Decision and Order, the Stipulated Surrender and Disciplinary Order shall be of no force or effect, except for this paragraph, it shall be inadmissible in any legal action between the parties, and the Board shall not be disqualified from further action by having considered this matter.

#### OTHER MATTERS

- The parties understand and agree that facsimile copies of this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order, including facsimile signatures thereto, shall have the same force and effect as the originals.
- 12. In consideration of the foregoing admissions and stipulations, the parties agree that the Board may, without further notice or formal proceeding, issue and enter the following Order:

#### ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH 50820, issued to Respondent Jamila Z. Killingsworth (Respondent), is surrendered and accepted by the Board of Pharmacy.

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- 13. The surrender of Respondent's Pharmacy Technician Registration and the acceptance of the surrendered license by the Board shall constitute the imposition of discipline against Respondent. This stipulation constitutes a record of the discipline and shall become a part of Respondent's license history with the Board.
- 14. Respondent shall lose all rights and privileges as a Pharmacy Technician in California as of the effective date of the Board's Decision and Order.
- 15. Respondent shall cause to be delivered to the Board her License, wall and pocket license certificate(s), on or before the effective date of the Decision and Order.
- 16. Respondent may not apply, reapply, or petition for any licensure or registration of the Board for three (3) years from the effective date of the Decision and Order.
- 17. Respondent understands and agrees that if she ever applies for licensure or petitions for reinstatement in the State of California, the Board shall treat it as a new application for licensure. Respondent must comply with all laws, regulations and procedures for licensure in effect at the time an application or petition is filed, and all the charges and allegations contained in First Amended Accusation No. 3113 shall be deemed to be true, correct and admitted by Respondent when the Board determines whether to grant or deny the application or petition.
- 18. Should Respondent ever apply or reapply for a new license or certification, or petition for reinstatement of a license, by any other health care licensing agency in the State of California, all of the charges and allegations contained in First Armended Accusation No. 3113 shall be deemed to be true, correct, and admitted by Respondent for the purpose of any Statement of Issues or any other proceeding seeking to deny or restrict licensure.
- 19. Respondent shall pay the Board its costs of investigation and enforcement in the amount of \$3,000.00 prior to issuance of a new or reinstated license.

#### **ACCEPTANCE** I have carefully read the Stipulated Surrender of License and Order. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on my Pharmacy Technician Registration. I enter into this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Board of Pharmacy. DATED: 2-21-08 Respondent **ENDORSEMENT** The foregoing Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Board of Pharmacy of the Department of Consumer Affairs. 2/25/08 EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Attorney General of the State of California FRANK H. PACOE Supervising Deputy Attorney General outy Attorney General Attorneys for Complainant

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# Exhibit A First Amended Accusation No. 3113

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13	1424 Contra Costa Avenue San Pablo, CA 94806  FIRST AMENDED ACCUSATION
14	Pharmacy Technician
15	Registration No. TCH 50820
16	Respondent.
17	Complainant alleges:
18	PARTIES
19	1. Virginia Herold (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in her official
20	capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs.
21	2. On or about October 1, 2003, the Board of Pharmacy issued Pharmacy
22	Technician Registration Number TCH 50820 to Jamila Z. Killingsworth (Respondent). The
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	Pharmacy Technician Registration was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges
24	brought herein and will expire on November 30, 2008, unless renewed.
25	JURISDICTION
26	3. This Accusation is brought before the Board of Pharmacy (Board),
27	Department of Consumer Affairs, under the authority of the following laws. All section
28	references are to the Business and Professions Code unless otherwise indicated.

- Section 4011 of the Code provides that the Board shall administer and 4. enforce both the Pharmacy Law [Bus. & Prof. Code, § 4000 et seq.] and the Uniform Controlled Substances Act [Health & Safety Code, § 11000 et seg.].
- 5. Section 4300(a) of the Code provides that every license issued by the Board may be suspended or revoked.
- 6. Section 118(b) of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the suspension, expiration, surrender, or cancellation of a license shall not deprive the Board of jurisdiction to proceed with a disciplinary action during the period within which the license may be renewed. restored, reissued or reinstated. Section 4402(a) of the Code provides that any pharmacist license that is not renewed within three years following its expiration may not be renewed, restored, or reinstated and shall be canceled by operation of law at the end of the three-year period. Section 4402(e) of the Code provides that any other license issued by the Board may be canceled by the Board if not renewed within 60 days after its expiration, and any license canceled in this fashion may not be reissued but will instead require a new application to seek reissuance.

#### STATUTORY PROVISIONS

7. Section 4301 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Board shall take action against any holder of a license who is guilty of "unprofessional conduct," defined to include, but not be limited to, any of the following:

"(f) The commission of any act involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or corruption, whether the act is committed in the course of relations as a licensee or otherwise, and whether the act is a felony or misdemeanor or not.

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"(h) The administering to oneself, of any controlled substance, or the use of any dangerous drug or of alcoholic beverages to the extent or in a manner as to be dangerous or injurious to oneself, to a person holding a license under this chapter, or to any other person or to the public, or to the extent that the use impairs the ability of the person to conduct with safety to the public the practice authorized by the license.

#### FACTUAL BACKGROUND

- 20. On or about August 29, 2005, Respondent was driving her automobile and was stopped by Suisun City Police for driving at an unsafe speed/above the speed limit. During the traffic stop, in response to questioning by the officer(s), Respondent revealed that she was in possession of 22 baggies of marijuana located under the driver's seat of the vehicle.
- 21. After a police search of the vehicle found a larger plastic bag containing 22 smaller plastic baggies containing approximately 17 grams of what was later confirmed to be marijuana, Respondent explained to the officer(s): that she had purchased the marijuana at a cannabis club in Berkeley using a medical marijuana (cannabis club) card; that every so often she would purchase approximately an ounce of marijuana from the club to sell to friends/associates; that she did so using her medical marijuana card and the club did not know about her resales; that she sold the marijuana as a side job in order to supplement her income; and that she smoked the marijuana herself on an occasional basis, up to approximately once per week.
- Respondent also admitted to earlier consumption of three (3) beers. After Respondent failed a field sobriety test, she was placed under arrest on suspicion of driving under the influence (Vehicle Code, § 23152, subd. (a)), a misdemeanor, possessing marijuana for sale (Health and Safety Code, § 11359), a felony, transporting marijuana for sale (Health and Safety Code, § 11360, subd. (a)), a felony, and unsafe speed (Vehicle Code, § 22350), an infraction.

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#### FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Conviction of Substantially Related Crime)

23. Respondent is subject to discipline under section 4301(1) of the Code by reference to California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 1770, in that on or about June 12, 2006, in a criminal case titled *People v. Jamila Z. Killingsworth*, Case No. FCR227049 in Solano County Superior Court, Respondent was convicted by plea of *nolo contendere* of: (1) violating Health and Safety Code section 11360, subdivision (b) [transporting marijuana for sale], a misdemeanor; and (2) violating Vehicle Code section 23103.5 [reckless driving], a misdemeanor. The conviction was entered in the Solano County Superior Court as follows:

a. Following her arrest on or about August 29, 2005, described in paragraph
20-22 above, on or about September 16, 2005 Respondent was charged by Felony Complaint in
Solano County Superior Court, Case No. FCR227049, with: (1) violating Health and Safety Coo
section 11359 [possession of marijuana for sale], a felony; (2) violating Health and Safety Cod
section 11360, subdivision (b) [transportation of not more than 28.5 grams of marijuana other
than concentrated cannabis], a misdemeanor; and (3) violating Vehicle Code section 23152,
subdivision (a) [driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs], a misdemeanor;

- b. On or about June 12, 2006, the Complaint was amended on motion of the District Attorney to add a fourth count, for (4) violating Vehicle Code section 23103.5 [reckless driving], a misdemeanor. On that same date, Respondent pleaded *nolo contendere* to counts (2) and (4), both misdemeanors. Counts (1) and (3) were dismissed pursuant to the plea.
- c. On or about June 12, 2006, based on her *nolo contendere* plea the Superior Court found Respondent guilty, accepted her plea as free and voluntary, and found a factual basis for the plea and waiver of rights. Imposition of sentence was suspended and Respondent was placed on summary probation for a period of three (3) years on terms and conditions including 30 days in county jail (or alternative monitoring) with 2 days credit for time served, fines and fees, search and seizure conditions, alcohol testing upon demand, alcohol education, and abstention.

#### SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Acts Involving Moral Turpitude, Dishonesty, Fraud, Deceit or Corruption)

24. Respondent is subject to discipline under section 4301(f) of the Code in that, as described in paragraphs 20-23 above, Respondent committed acts involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or corruption.

#### THIRD CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Unlawful Self-Administration of Controlled Substance)

25. Respondent is subject to discipline under section 4301(h), (j), and/or (o) of the Code, section 4059 of the Code, and/or Health and Safety Code section 11170, in that Respondent, as described in paragraphs 20-23 above, unlawfully furnished and/or administered to herself unknown quantities of marijuana, a controlled substance and dangerous drug.

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#### EIGHTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE 1 (Unlawful Transport of Controlled Substance) 2 Respondent is subject to discipline under section 4301(j) and/or (o) of the 30. 3 Code, and/or Health and Safety Code section 11360, in that Respondent, as described in 4 paragraphs 20-23 above, unlawfully transported, conspired to transport, and/or assisted in or 5 abetted the transportation of unknown quantities of marijuana. 6 NINTH CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE 7 (Unprofessional Conduct) 8 31. 9 Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 4301 of the Code in that Respondent, by way of the conduct described in paragraphs 20-30 above, engaged in 10 "unprofessional conduct" not becoming the profession of pharmacy. 11 12 PRAYER 13 14 WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged, and that following the hearing, the Board of Pharmacy issue a decision: 15 Revoking or suspending Pharmacy Technician Registration Number TCH 16 A, 17 50820, issued to Jamila Killingsworth (Respondent); Ordering Respondent to pay the Board reasonable costs of investigation В. 18 and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3; 19 20 Taking such other and further action as is deemed necessary and proper. 21 22 23 24

VIRGINIA HEROLD
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